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SUBJECT.

~~Formation of the~~ Committee for the management ~~of the affairs of the~~ of Kalasa Temple in the Nundgere Taluk.

Submitted

Mirza Nazeer Hussain

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The Dy. Commissioner
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The Secretary to the Dewan
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With reference to para 2 of the Dewan's Proceedings No. 387/12 dated the 19th ult., I have the honor to forward herewith for information and kind return, Proceedings of the first Committee formed for the management of the affairs of the Kalasa Temple in the Mudigere Taluk, from which it will be seen that besides the Agent of the Sringeri Mutt, three non-official, and

two Ex-Officio Members
have been nominated.
Two Clerks one showing the
Establishment to be main-
tained for the due performance
of the temple duties and
the other laying down the
charges to be incurred on
account of 'Pedikera Di-
paradhana' and other
rites, are also forwarded
for perusal and obliging
return.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
Servant
Deputy Commissioner
Madura District.

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With reference to the Docket from the Secretary to the Dewan No 4816/223 of 15th December 1883, regarding the Establishment of Committee for the management of the Kalaseswara Swamy Temple in the Mudgeri Taluk it was desired that the following Gentlemen be members of the Committee

1. M.R.R. Subramanya Sastry Agent of the Sringeri Mutt.
2. Mr. Ganesha Rao Coffee Planter
3. " Rangiah Hebbar - Do -
4. " Bagwala Basave Gowda.

Of the above

1 M.R.R. Subramanya Sastry
2 Mr. Ganesha Rao
3 " Rangiah Hebbar

met at Kalasa on Tuesday the 19th February 1884. These were joined by the Munsif Officer Mr. Meahomed Ali.

It was proposed by M.R.R. Subramanya Sastry and seconded by Mr. Ganesha Rao that the Amildar of Mudgeri Taluk and the Munsif Officer be Ex-Officio members of the Committee.

Proposed by the Mamlatdar Officer Mr. Mahomed Ali and Seconded by Messrs Ganesha Rao and Ranjeah Hebbar that M.R.R. Subramanya Sastry be President of the Committee.

The Mamlatdar Officer Suggested that the following points required disposal.

1. The jewels &c of the temple.
   (a) Whether they are all correct;
   (b) Whether they have been safely preserved;
   (c) Whether they might be left in charge of the existing Trustees
   (d) Whether there is need for any arrangement in regard to the jewels kept on the deity daily and other extra jewels.
   (e) Whether the paiments of vows made to the Temple by devotees are properly credited to the Temple or not.
   (f) Whether the existing jewels and cars require any repairs.

2. The Budvat Fund.
   (a) The total amount due to the Temple.
   (b) The sum for which new bonds were executed.
   (c) The amount which was barred by limitation
   (d) The amount for which there were decrees
   (e) The amount which had to be sued for
   (f) The steps to be taken in future for recovery

These points to be determined.

3. Sari Inam Land of the Temple

(a) Whether it would be advantageous to have the Land Surveyed and divided into plots

(b) What steps should be taken in regard to the money due on account of the Land

(4) Whether the Coffee lands should be let out on Sondagem according to the number of trees standing on them as before, or whether they should be given up to the Government in return for receipt of any Inam in Cash.

(5) Whether there is any arrangement to be made with the Government regarding the cash payment about Sandal.

(6) Whether there is proper account up to date of the Jasdick Receipt Expenditure and balance.

(7) Whether there is any Arrangement needed to see that the Jasdick granted was utilized for the purpose ~~for the purpose~~ for which it was intended.

(8) Whether it could be arranged to shew a Saving in the Jasdick Amount without infringment of the Temple usage and without opposing the wishes of the people.

9. What is the present strength of the Establishment of the Temple; what is the number of vacancies due to absence, death or other causes, and what is the strength actually required.

10 What is the amount of pay due to Temple Servants by the Temple; What is the sum due to the Temple by its Servants; Which item of the sum due to the servants may be paid; and which item of what they owe may be recovered.

11 Is there any arrangement necessary in regard to the recovery of the amount due to the Temple and the proper keeping of the accounts of Receipts and Expenditure of the Temple?; if so, what arrangement?

12. How should the Repairs ~~of~~ required for the Temple be carried out?

13. What is the present state of the Temple Records? What steps should be taken to keep ~~reader~~ them safe.

4. What are the powers of the Committee? What are the points that they should bring to the notice of G.M.

of Government.

1. The Shanbog should be held responsible for the jewels placed over the deity every day. He should take proper Security from the Poojaré. All the remaining jewels should be placed in an Iron Safe, having two keys one of which should be kept in the Taluk Treasury and the other in the charge of Mr Rangiah Hebbar. On important days (when larger number of jewels may be required) Mr Rangiah Hebbar should go and open the Iron Safe in the presence of 2 Panchayets and take out and give jewels required from it for the decoration of the deity and should in the same way, after the purpose for which they are taken out is over, replace them in the Iron Safe and Seal it. The Temple Parapatyagar should keep a diary containing the dates on which jewels from the Safe are taken out, their particulars and the Signatures of the Panchayets present at different times when the Safe is opened. A Copy of such a diary shall then

them and there be submitted to the Mercury Office for information.

2. Up to the end of March 1883,

The Principal Sum due to the Temple ... } = Rs 5883 3-8.
Land Revenue do. ... = 840-10-11

Total Rs 6723-14-7.

Out of this, the Sum
due on Instalment Bonds 4210-...
The Sum due on Court Decrees: 2513-14-7
Total . = 6723-14-7:

The Sum Collected up to
end of Dec 1882 was.
On Instalment Bonds: 1100. 4. 10.
By Execution of Decrees = 909. 1. 4
Total .. 2009. 6. 2.

Balance due upto January 1882 was
thus Rs. 4714-8-5.

In cases of failure to pay in accordance with the terms of the Instalment Bonds, the amounts due should be recovered by filing the necessary Suits.

There is a decree for Rs 1252-2-3. against one Hornad Puttanna Shetty. But this individual has up to date paid to the Temple interest equal to the Principal nearly. He now states that he would pay the Principal Rs 800 and that he cannot pay more. ~~extra extract~~. His condition, too, on

on enquiry Temple to warrant his statement. The Committee is therefore of opinion that Rs 800 be received in entire Satisfaction of the amount due by him.

3. The said Inam Lands of the Temple should be caused to be Surveyed and ~~the Lands~~ all devided into plots.

4. It would appear advantageous to retain the Coffee Lands for the Temple and let them out in pursuance of the usage, according to the Trees on them. This will be disposed of in the next meeting.

5. If the Govt. would take charge of the Sandal and pay to the Temple or Inam in cash amounting to Rs 500 per annum, no further arrangement would be necessary.

6. While properly continuing all the important Observances of the Temple, it is not possible to Effect a Saving in the Jasdiek amount of Rs 1768-1-0. Deducting, however, from the total assets of the temple amounting to Rs 2950-14-3 the Sum, (as per Patties attached), required for the ordinary daily Expenditure Rs 1246-0-0. and that

that necessary for Extraordinary Establishment Rs 1531-8-9 or Rs 2777-8-9 in all, there remains a balance of Rs 173-5-6; which, together with the anticipated Coffee Condagem and Sandal Cash Inam would be a saving. Any further reduction in the above Establishment would tend to omission of Temple Observances and to evasion of duty on the part of the Temple Servants.

7. According to the Patti attached, the amount due to the Temple Servants on account of their pay of previous years is Rs 4609-5-11; the Sum payable by them to the Temple is Rs 3327-7-9. The Temple has not now funds enough to disburse arrears of pay. It has therefore been arranged that ~~Where~~ Wherever the amounts due to and by the Temple are equal, they should balance each other. Wherever there is a balance due to the Temple it should be paid to it, and Wherever the Temple owes a balance that balance should be given up to the Temple in charity. By this arrangement, the amount given up to the Temple in Charity is Rs 4221-11-2 and that due to the Temple is Rs 429-5-7. Details

for

for these amounts are given in the Patti.

(8). If the Temple Repairs are be carried out by the Committee they could be Economically executed.

(9). It is the opinion of the Committee that the appointments and dismissals of the Temple Servants and Supervision of the Temple Expenditure having been reserved by the Menzroy Officer the Committee be vested with power in regard to Other matters

10. Other points will be discussed and determined in another meeting.

/ Signed / M. Ganeshalas
in English.

Sabramanya Sastry
President
in Tamarese.

A. Rangiah. in Tamarese

Countersigned
Mahomed Ali

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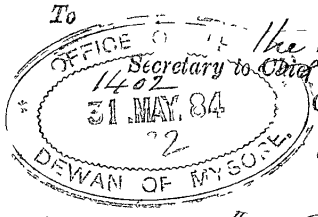
From The Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur Dt

To The Dewan
of Mysore



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In continuation of this Office No 82 dated the 13th instant, has the honor to forward in original a detailed list of the amounts due by and to the Kalsa temple, alluded to in the last para of the Proceedings of the Committee held on the 19th February last.-

A further report from the Mysore Officer Mr. Mackenzie who has lately visited the temple will be shortly forwarded.-

to be kindly returned

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J. D. Mackenzie
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approving of the formation of a committee for the management & administration of the Malay Annuities.

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of Mysore.

To Read.

Dated Letter No. 82 dt. 13th May 1886 from the Dy. Commr. Kadur Distt.

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Received of the first Committee

Enclosures No. formed for the manage-

General No. ment of the affairs of the

No. Kalasa Temple in the Mudigeri Taluk.

Order:-

The Dewan approves of the formation of the Committee for the management and administration of the Kalasa temple and trusts that the members will make the experiment a thorough success. Copies of their proceedings should be submitted for the information of the Dewan.

To

The Dy. Commr.
Kadur Distt.

Returning the Proc. &c. accompaniments.